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## PATENT APPLICATION

### IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

August 13, 2004

Applicant(s): Thomas WYSS, et al.

For: DEVICE FOR UNFOLDING OF FOLDED BOXES

Serial No.: 10/081 140 Group: 3721

Confirmation No.: 8515

Filed: February 22, 2002 Examiner: Durand

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 16, 2004, Applicants amend as follows:

(Please see following pages.)

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Sir:  $T_{ECh} = \frac{182004}{2004}$  Herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

The additional filing fee has been calculated as shown below: [X]

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- Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), please extend the shortened period [X] for response by two month(s). The extension fee is: \$420.00.
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